



Cal OES Daily Situation Report

January 16, 2018

San Luis Obispo Fire Department and countless other agencies are still working hard and making progress in Montecito, Santa Barbara County.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 2	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

2018 January Winter Storm – Mud and Debris Flow

On 01/12/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an Executive Order to further assist recovery efforts in Southern California related to the Thomas Fire and subsequent mudslides. The order helps ensure there is staffing and resources needed to continue to respond to the ongoing disaster and expedite debris removal.

Mud and Debris Flow, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties

- CAL FIRE IMT-3, Santa Barbara County and Montecito F.D. in Unified Command
- Area impacted: 19,200 acres, currently **75% contained**
- **Approximately 1,500 residences and 200 commercial properties remain threatened**
- 20 fatalities
- 28 injuries
- **3** people missing

Activations

- Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated to Level 2, with an operational period of 0700 – 1900 hours, Duty Officer status 1900 – 0700 hours.
- Santa Barbara County EOC is activated at Level 3 (Highest)
- CDPH Medical Health and Coordination Center (MHCC) is activated to Level 3 (Lowest), from 0800-1700 hours
- Caltrans California Department Operations Center (DOC) is activated at Level 3 (Lowest)

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Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Acting Regional Administrator (RA) deployed to Santa Barbara County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC deployed to State Operations Center (SOC), Geo Ops
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Deputy RA deployed to Santa Barbara County
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Deputy RA deployed to Ventura County
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (SESC) to San Diego County
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region ESC deployed to Santa Barbara County EOC
- 3 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs (ACs) deployed to Santa Barbara County
- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Deputy Chief deployed to Santa Barbara County
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians (PSCTs) are assigned
- 1 Cal OES Recovery Staff deployed to Santa Barbara County EOC
- 2 Cal OES Public Information Officers (PIOs) deployed to Santa Barbara County EOC

Resources Assigned

- Cal OES Swiftwater-Flood Search & Rescue Team 2 (SF-S&R Team 2, L.A.CoFD) ([Demobed 01/16/18](#))
- California Regional US&R Task Force 1 (RTF-1, Marin County)
- California Regional US&R Task Force 2 (RTF-2, Los Angeles Area “E”, XLE)
- California Regional US&R Task Force 3 (RTF-3, Long Beach Fire Department) ([Demobed 01/16/18](#))
- California Regional US&R Task Force 4 (RTF-4, Los Angeles Area “C”, XLC)
- California Regional US&R Task Force 5 (RTF-5, Fresno) ([Demobed 01/16/18](#))
- California Regional US&R Task Force 6 (RTF-6, San Bernardino Co. FD)
- California Regional US&R Task Force 7 (RTF-7, Ventura XVE) ([Demobed 01/16/18](#))
- California Regional US&R Task Force 8 (RTF-8, L.A. County Fire Department)
- California Regional US&R Task Force 9 (RTF-9, Los Angeles Fire Department)
- California Regional US&R Task Force 10 (RTF-10, Orange County Fire Authority) ([Demobed 01/16/18](#))
- California Regional US&R Task Force 11 (RTF-11, Bakersfield)
- California Regional US&R Task Force 12 (RTF-12, Santa Barbara County) ([Demobed 01/16/18](#))
- 4 California State/National US&R Task Force Live-Find Canine Search “Mission Ready Packages” (5 personnel, 2 live-find search canines each, respectively)
- 2 California State/National US&R Task Force Human Remains Canine Search “Mission-Ready Packages” (5 personnel, 2 human remains search canines each, respectively)
- 1 Type II Haz-Mat Team (Santa Barbara County Fire Department)
- (3) T3 OES Strike Teams
- (4) T1 OES Strike Teams
- (8) T1 Strike Teams
- (4) T3 Strike Teams

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Resources Assigned (Continued)

- (3) OES Water Tenders
- (2) OES Support Units
- (2) OES Heavy Equipment Mechanics

Proclamation

- On 01/11/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. announced that the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has granted the state's request for expanded federal disaster assistance in response to the devastating mudslides that have impacted Santa Barbara County and the community of Montecito.
- On 01/10/18, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a proclamation of local emergency from the City of Burbank, Los Angeles County, declaring a local emergency for heavy rains and storms causing potential mudflows in the La Tuna Fire burn area. They are not requesting assistance at this time.
- On 01/08/18, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a proclamation of a local emergency from Santa Barbara County requesting CDAA, and any other State or Federal funds, due to the series of forecasted storms impact to Santa Barbara County and the burn areas.

Evacuations

Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO) as of [01/16/18 at 0725 hours](#):

- Santa Barbara County
 - **Mandatory:** Approximately 9,289 people:
 - Olive Mill / Oak Rd / Sycamore Canyon Rd / Cold Springs Rd on the West
 - US Forest Boundary on the North
 - Toro Canyon Rd. on the East
 - Hwy 192 / Sheffield Rd. on the South
 - **Voluntary:**
 - Channel Dr. / Hot Springs Rd. on the West
 - Pacific Ocean on the South
 - Eucalyptus Hill Rd. / El Rancho Rd. / Summit Rd. / Channel Rd. on the East
 - Hwy 192 on the North

Road Closures

Santa Barbara County:

- US 101 remains closed in both directions from SR 150 to Milpas.
- SR 192 remains closed within the mandatory evacuation zone.

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Shelters

- Santa Barbara County
 - American Red Cross (ARC), San Marcos High School, 4750 Hollister, Santa Barbara, CA 93110.
 - Midnight Population: [34](#)
 - Animal Shelters:
 - Earl Warren Showgrounds, 3400 Calle Real, Santa Barbara (Large Animals)
 - Santa Barbara Humane Society, 5399 Overpass Rd., Santa Barbara (Small Animals)

Public Reunification

- Family Assistance Center (FAC), First Presbyterian Church, 21 E. Constance Ave., Santa Barbara
 - Hours of operation 1000 – 2000 hours
 - The FAC is staffed by the Sheriff's Office, American Red Cross, Behavioral Wellness, Clergy and a PIO Representative.
 - The County has established a toll free number (805.364.1922; 0800 – 2000 hours) for out-of-state family to inquire about the missing.

Access and Functional Needs

- There are no unmet needs.

Critical Infrastructure

- Per California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA) on [01/16/18 at 0634 hours](#):
 - Southern California Gas (SoCal Gas) advises that a transmission gas line separation occurred in the area above Hwy 192.
 - SoCal Gas has a temporary isolation of service to Montecito to check lines for safety before restoral of service, this is impacting 3,600 customers.
 - There is no estimated time for restoral of services at this time.
 - Southern California Edison (SCE), reports about [2,600 outages](#), 1,500 of those are in Montecito.
 - There is no estimated time of restoration provided at this time.
 - Water
 - A water outage is anticipated throughout the Montecito Water District (excluding Summerland). Bottled water continues to be distributed at these locations from 0800 hours to 2000 hours daily.
 - Montecito Fire Station #2, 2300 Sycamore Canyon Rd. and Cold Spring Rd., Montecito
 - Summerland Post Office, 2245 Lillie Ave., Summerland
 - Shopping Center, E. Valley Rd. and San Ysidro Rd., Montecito.



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Health and Medical

- On [01/16/18](#) per the Cal OES Southern Duty Officer (SDO), due to high bacteria levels, Santa Barbara County has closed the following beach waters until further notice:
 - El Capitan State Beach, Goleta Beach, East Beach at Mission Creek, East Beach at Sycamore Creek, Butterfly Beach, and [Carpinteria State Beach](#)
- Santa Barbara County Environmental Health has set up a hotline for residents to call to report hazardous debris (805-681-5538).

School Closures

- All public schools will be back in session 01/16/18.

Missions

- 2018-SOC-44777: Secure parking at San Buenaventura State Beach to support Santa Barbara's transportation plan.
- 2018-SOC-44765: CNG Azusa Armory for temporary secure storage of trailers and vans
- 2018-SOC-44720: 160,000 Liters of water needed to support water distribution PODS in Santa Barbara County. (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44696: 2 Caltrans digital mobile road signs for directing traffic in and out of Earl Warren Showgrounds
- 2018-SOC-44682: Debris Management Site (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44651: Caltrans to provide traffic, cones and A-Frame barricades
- 2018-SOC-44649: CCC Crews to support the ICP
- 2018-SOC-44638: DWR Liaisons to support Debris/Flood Fighting Task Force (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44628: Drainage and Creek Clearance (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44620: Resources to support debris management. (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44581: 1 personnel from State Military Reserve, Air Coordination Mission Support Team, to support the Air Coordination Group (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44575: 3 Loaders and 6 Dump Trucks to assist with debris clearance (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44554: 2 CCC Crews to staff 3 POD locations (On Scene)
- 2018-SOC-44498: State agencies requested to provide agency rep to support the SOC Operations. (On Scene)
- 2018-FIRE-44642: Hoist Rescue (On Scene)
- 2018-FIRE-44635: CAL FIRE (CDF) assigned to the Santa Barbara flooding emergency incident in support of life safety and rescue efforts (On Scene)

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Missions (Continued)

- 2018-FIRE-44492: 2 National Guard helicopter with rescue hoist capabilities to support rescue operations in Santa Barbara County (On Scene)
- 2018-Southern-44652: CNG Liaisons to support Santa Barbara County EOC
- 2018-Southern-44520: DWR Liaison to report to Santa Barbara EOC (On Scene)

Law Enforcement Mutual Aid

- Per the Cal OES LDO as of 01/13/18, 2018-LAW-44773, Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office (SBCSO) requested Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) for 32 sworn personnel and 16 vehicles in support of the Law Enforcement (LE) efforts for the ongoing mudslide incident in Montecito.
 - Los Angeles Sheriff's Department (LASD) accepted the mission of 32 personnel (16 vehicles / two men) through 01/22/18
 - Cal OES Region 5 Mutual Aid Coordinator (RMAC) accepted a mission for 20 personnel / 10 vehicles for Wednesday, 01/17/18, through Monday, 01/22/18
- Per the Cal OES LDO as of 01/12/18, the following In-Region resources are still deployed in support of Santa Barbara County:
 - San Luis Obispo Sheriff's Office (SO), San Luis Obispo Police Department (PD), Arroyo Grande PD, Grover Beach PD, Atascadero PD, Cuesta College PD, Pismo Beach PD, Morro Bay PD, Paso Robles PD, Cal Poly PD, UC Santa Barbara PD, Santa Barbara PD, Santa Maria PD, Lompoc PD

Recovery:

- A Recovery Team has been developed with Santa Barbara County Staff, Cal OES, FEMA , DWR, FEMA, USACE, County Department of Public Works, Caltrans and Santa Barbara Sheriff
- A community meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, 01/17/18, at 1600 hours at La Cumbre Middle School, 2255 Modoc Rd., Santa Barbara
- A Local Assistance Center (LAC) is scheduled to open Wednesday, 01/17/18 through 02/03/18
 - Location: Calvary Chapel, 1 N. Calle Cesar Chavez, Suite 21, Santa Barbara
 - Hours of operation: 1100 – 1830 hours Monday through Friday and 1000 – 1400 hours Saturday, closed on Sunday.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 1	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 1

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

- Nothing significant to report.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- No Lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

Ventura County

- On 01/08/18 SR 33 was closed from 0.8 miles north of Ojai /at Fairview Road/ to 9 miles south of the Ventura/Santa Barbara County line due to mudslides. The route has not reopened.

Santa Barbara County

- On 01/09/18 US Route 101 was closed from the Ventura/Santa Barbara County Line to South Milpas St./in Santa Barbara/ due to mudslides. The route has not reopened.
- On 01/09/18 SR 192 was closed from the Junction of State Route 144 /in Santa Barbara/ to the Junction of State Route 150 due to a mudslide. The route has not reopened.
- On 01/10/18 SR 150 westbound connector to northbound United State Route 101/in Carpinteria/ was closed due to mudslides. The connector has not reopened.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire route closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center activations.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current highway conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current highway conditions.



California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported.

Service Interruptions:

- None reported.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

- The National Weather Service is tracking two storms that are set to impact Northern California, Thursday, 01/18/18 through Friday 01/19/18 and Sunday 01/21/18 through Monday 01/22/18.
 - Both systems will bring, gusty winds and up to 1 – 3 “ of precipitation to valley and mountainous locations. Snow accumulation will be up to 2 feet between 3,000 to 4000 elevation.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <https://alerts-v2.weather.gov/counties/CA>

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

A series of Pacific storm systems will affect the region during the next 1 to 2 weeks. The first wave moved through overnight and favored northern parts of the region. The North Coast and Northwest Mtn PSA's generally observed between 0.5 to 1.5" amounts. The second wave will affect the area beginning Wednesday night and last into Saturday before the third wave hits Sunday and Monday. These two waves will impact the entire region. Hefty amounts of liquid water will occur, especially favoring the North Coast/Northwest Mtn and west slopes of the Cascade and Sierra ranges. Snow accumulation levels, like last night, will start out on the higher side, generally above 7000 feet but trend down to around 4000 feet Thursday night into Friday.

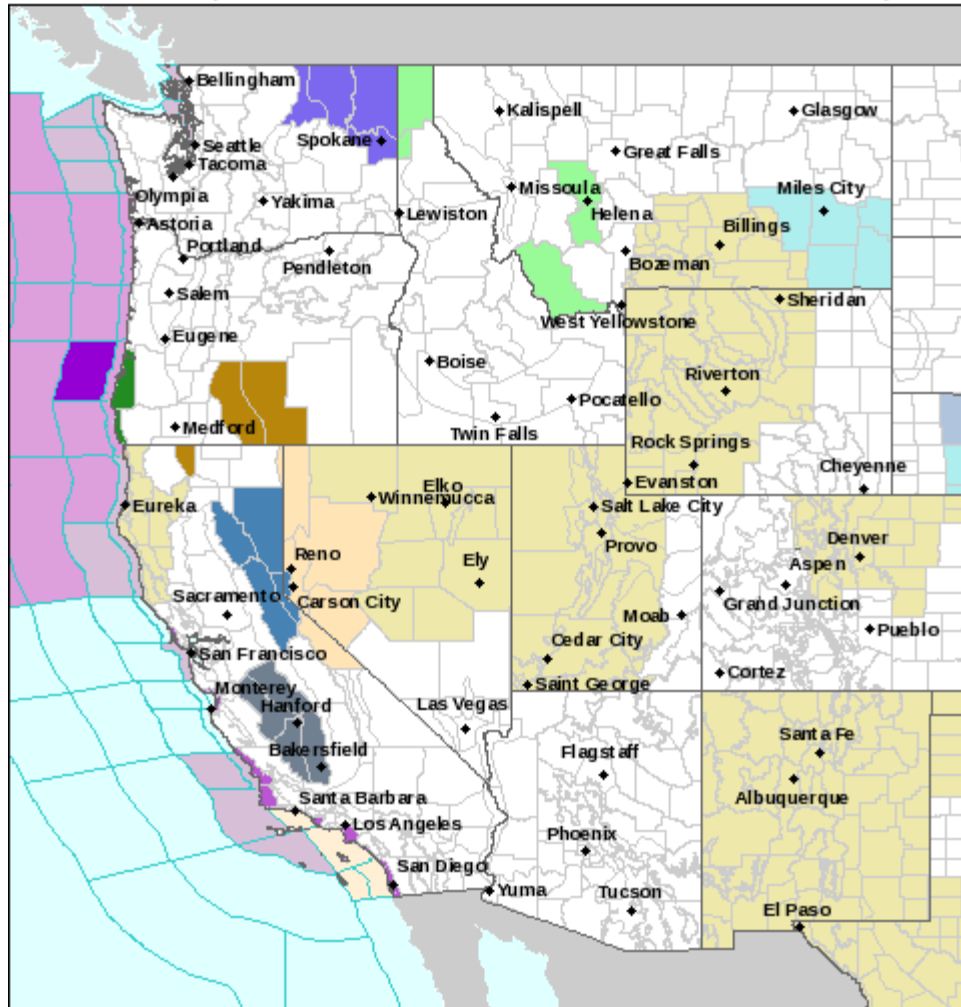
Wind speeds will be light today but trend higher Wednesday into Thursday due to strengthening southerly winds ahead of the trough. Temperatures will start out warmer than normal but trend much cooler Thursday and Friday due to a strong Pacific cold front. Cooler than normal afternoon temperatures will remain into the weekend and last into early next week due to the unsettled weather pattern.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

A weak ridge of high pressure over the region will cause temperatures to be 5 to 10 degrees above normal through Thursday, with mid 50s to mid 60s across the mountains and upper 60s and 70s in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be mainly between 20% and 40% through Thursday. Winds will be light through Thursday. A Pacific storm will bring scattered showers to the region Thursday night through Friday night, with most locations expected to receive less than a quarter inch of rainfall. However, the Sierra and its surrounding foothills will receive between 1 and 2 inches of rainfall. The snow level will drop down to around 4,000 feet by Friday night. Westerly winds of 20 to 30 mph with gusts to 50 mph will surface across the wind prone mountains and deserts Thursday night through Friday night. Temperatures will drop to between 5 and 10 degrees below normal on Friday. A weak ridge of high pressure will move across the region from the Pacific Ocean bringing a little warmer and drier conditions this weekend. North winds of 20 to 30 mph with gusts to 50 mph will surface across much of Santa Barbara County and the Grapevine Saturday night. Another Pacific storm may bring more scattered showers with light rainfall totals to the area early next week.



WEATHER MAP



- [Storm Warning](#)
- [High Surf Warning](#)
- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Wind Chill Warning](#)
- [Winter Weather Advisory](#)
- [Wind Chill Advisory](#)
- [Flood Advisory](#)
- [High Surf Advisory](#)
- [Dense Fog Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Rough Bar](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Hazardous Seas Warning](#)
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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- Nothing to report

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2017-Cal OES-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (On Scene).
- **2017-SOC-44098:** CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County.
- **2017-SOC-44022:** Two E-BAM (air monitors) from Air Resources Board/Office of Emergency Response to monitor smoke from the Thomas Fires. Location one: Olga Reed Elementary School (480 Centennial St., Los Alamos); Location two: Carpinteria City Hall (5775 Carpinteria Ave., Carpinteria) (On Scene).
- **2017-SOC-43821:** DTSC to remove household hazardous waste from over 500 residential lots in Ventura County (On Scene).



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We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.